

**AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER
Under Small Entity Status**

Attorney Docket No:
2188002US1AP

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| Application Serial Number: 10/713,375 | Filing Date: 11/14/03 | Examiner: Gary F. Paumen | Art Unit: 2833 |
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Invention: SAFETY DEVICE FOR ELECTRICAL PLUGS AND A METHOD
OF ATTACHING THE SAME

TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application. The fee has been calculated as shown below.

CLAIMS AS AMENDED

| | CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT | | HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR | NO. OF EXTRA CLAIMS PRESENT | RATE | ADDITIONAL FEE |
|---------------|-------------------------------------|-------|--|--------------------------------|----------|-------------------|
| TOTAL CLAIMS | 26 | MINUS | 26 | 0 | \$25.00 | \$0 |
| INDEP. CLAIMS | 3 | MINUS | 3 | 0 | \$100.00 | \$0 |

 X Petition is hereby made under 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the time for response to the Office Action of 06/14/05 to and through 8/15/05 (8/14/05 = Sunday), comprising an extension of the shortened statutory period of:

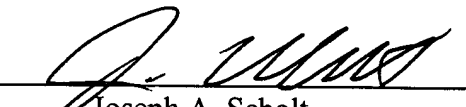
 X one month (\$60.00) three months (\$510.00)
 two months (\$225.00) four months (\$795.00)

 X If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor and charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. 19-0083

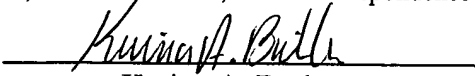
TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT **60.00**

- X Small entity status of this application under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a verified statement previously submitted.
- A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.
- X A check in the amount of \$ 60.00 is attached.
- Charge \$ to Deposit Account .
- X The Director is hereby authorized to charge any additional fee(s) or underpayment of fee(s), or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 19-0083
- No additional fee is required.

8/15/05
Date


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